



LLANHARAN PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Guardians

4th September 2012

Welcome back to school and a new academic year. Over the summer holidays our school renovations have continued with cloakrooms being re-painted and a permanent Fruit Tuck Shop being created. Also the Nursery/Reception garden has undergone Phase 1 of its re-development with a decked reading area, planting area, giant sand and digging boxes and a giant canopy sail being installed. We aim to create a role play area and new flooring when funds become available.

Unfortunately, the local authority improvements to the front of the building have been postponed. As a result our KS 2 pupils will be working with Bethesda Art to re-design the faded murals in the coming weeks. Also, our Llanharan heritage clay tile mural, created by our pupils and members of the community will be installed next week. Alongside a new school sign, posters, displays and a pupil art gallery we're heading for a busy half term!

On Thursday 6th September, the school is closed due to a local authority INSET day when all primary school teachers from Y Pant/Pencoed cluster will be receiving training on developing reading.

If any parents have updated their mobile phones during the summer, could you please let us know the new details as soon as possible in order for us to update our records for the texting service.

School Clubs

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday "All Stars" club run by Miss Williams & Miss Hughes

3.30—4.15 p.m. £2.50 (includes snack and free play)

3.30—5.15 p.m.—£5.00 (as above & activity)

3.30—6.00 p.m.—£6.00 (as above & tranquil time)

Monday—Sports Extra club (6 week block) - run by Regional Sports

Reception—Year 6

3.30—4.30 p.m.

Begins Monday 17th September



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Tuesday—Recorder Club run by Mrs Price

KS2 Pupils

3.30—4.15 p.m.

Club begins Tuesday 18th September. (Numbers are limited—booking required)

Tuesday—Football Club run by Mr Roberts

KS2 Pupils

3.30—4.30 p.m.

Club begins Tuesday 18th September.

Wednesday—Activity Club run by Drop in Centre

All Pupils

3.30—5.00 p.m.

Club begins Wednesday 12th September

Thursday—Rugby Club run by Mr Arthur

KS2 Pupils

3.30—4.30 p.m.

Club begins Thursday 20th September

If you would like your child to attend a staff run after school club and then attend All Stars club afterwards the cost is £2.50.

Here are some dates for your diary....

Monday 10th September—All Stars after school club starts from 3.30—6.00 p.m.

Friday 14th September—Year 3/4 (Mrs Hobrow) Visit to Cardiff Castle. (Details to follow)

Thursday 4th October—Harvest Festival at Llanharan Church for all pupils. This year we will be collecting tins, cereals etc for the Foodbank as part of our harvest celebrations.

Monday 22nd October—Parent/Teacher evening meetings 3.30—5.30 p.m. Appointments will be available for all classes.

Tuesday 23rd October—Nursery/Reception parent teacher meetings 1.15-3.30 p.m.

Wednesday 24th October—Yr 1/2 parent teacher meetings 1.15—3.30 p.m.

Thursday 25th October—Yr 3/4 parent teacher meetings 1.15-3.30 p.m.

Friday 26th October—Yr 5/6 parent teacher meeting 1.15-3.30 p.m.

(no appointments for afternoon meetings, 1st come 1st served basis).

Monday 29th October—Friday 2nd November—Half Term

Monday 10th December—Dress rehearsal for Christmas concert. Free tickets for grandparents.

Wednesday 12th December— 2.00 p.m.—Foundation Phase Concert (Mrs Killick & Mr Arthur's class)
5.30 p.m. KS2 concert (Mrs Hobrow & Mr Roberts Class)

Thursday 13th December— 2.00p.m. KS2 concert
5.30 Foundation Phase concert

Tuesday 18th December— Christmas service in church for all pupils & Christmas lunch at school.

Wednesday 19th December—Christmas Panto trip to The New Theatre to see Sleeping Beauty. (details to follow)

Friday 21st December—Last Day of school